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No additional fee is required.

X The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

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(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
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- If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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- \_\_ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$280 (\$140) has been previously paid \_\_, or is paid herewith \_\_.
- This response is being filed within the X first month, \_ second month, \_ third month, \_ fourth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor, and the fee of X \$110 (\$55), \_ \$410 (\$205), \_ \$930 (\$465), \_ \$1,450 (\$725) for the requisite extension is due and X paid herewith.
- X A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached.
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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 20, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: